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Re: New U.S. Patent Application: Gigabit Transmit Clocking for Reducing EMI and Supply Bounce

Our Docket No.: MP0304
Your Reference No.:
Requirements: Prepare new patent application
Marvell Target Date: November 14, 2003

Dear Rick:

We would like you to prepare a patent application directed to the above-identified invention by no later than November 14, 2003. Please find enclosed documents describing the invention along with a videotape of an invention disclosure interview.

The inventorship information is as follows:

Inventor	Citizenship	Address	City	State	Zip	Country
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Please review the enclosed materials and before proceeding please provide your estimate as to cost and schedule.

Richard P. Bauer, Esq.
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Please also prepare a declaration and assignments as follows.

☒ Inventor to Marvell Semiconductor Inc.

☒ Marvell Semiconductor Inc. to Marvell International, Ltd.

The final deliverables will include an electronic version and a claim tree.

Please do not hesitate to contact me if you have any questions.

With warmest regards.

Very truly yours,

Amanda J. [Signature] on behalf of:

Eric Janofsky
General Patent Counsel

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Enclosures: Invention documents (Confirmation Copy)
Video Tape (Confirmation Copy)